

March 2022 Operations Report

Water

- **Flow: Well 1b:** 2,167,800 gallons **Well 2:** 2,800 gallons **Total:** 2,170,600 gallons. With the warmer temperatures, we are starting to see an increase in flows. We have been averaging a flow of 95,000 gallons per day over the last week; an increase of 45,000 daily average we were seeing a few weeks earlier.
- **Leaks/Shutoffs:** Operators dealt with two situations involving homeowner's shutoff valves. 9 Sugar Pine had an issue with the valve at the house and the district valve was not functioning properly. Operators had to shut down the main to replace the service valve. The repair including shut down and return to service took around 30 minutes. 4 Cedar had an issue with their home valve as well and reported it to be leaking. Upon investigation, operators found that the valve at the house was not completely turned into the "on" position, causing water to come out of the drain hole on the body of the valve.

Wastewater

- **Flow: WWTP #6-** 149,751 Gallons **WWTP # 7-** 1,104,269 Gallons **Total:** 1,254,020 Gallons
- **Collection System Cleaning:** Waters Vacuum Truck cleaned Section #3 of the wastewater collection system. Section #3 is the collection system for Unit 6 condos, this section is the most problematic in terms of grease build within the pipelines.
- **Annual Report:** The annual wastewater and groundwater reports, prepared by Farr West have been submitted to our state regulator. We have not received any comments or questions from the regulator about the report.

Misc., Future & Small Projects

- **WWTP 6 Fence:** Operators received a bid from Kunsman Fence for \$5,325. Other contractors were contacted but they were either not interested or too busy.
- **Bobcat Repair:** The skid steer was returned to the district after close to a month in Reno at the repair shop. It was found that rodents had chewed through some of the wiring, causing electrical short within the system. Traps and poison have been placed in the shop to mitigate any future rodent issues.
- **CSD/Fire Dept Building Painting:** O&M staff have contacted painting contractors and received one response from A.A. Knudsen Painting. Staff have provided the square footage of the building, are in the process of choosing colors and will receive a bid in the next week or so.

- **Tree Cleanup:** Operators have been working to cleanup the downed trees on district property. They have been piling up the branches and will have a tree service chip the piles. There is still a couple trees that need to be addressed and that task will be complete.
- **Security Cameras:** The Blink surveillance cameras have installed by staff.